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Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

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In re application of: Tim Wilhelm Nattkemper et al.

Entitled: METHOD FOR THE AUTOMATIC ANALYSIS OF MICROSCOPE IMAGES

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

[X] This is a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$395.00) per §1.17(e).
 Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on _____ per §1.116.

[X] Small Entity Status is asserted.

A Petition for Extension of Time for ___ month is hereby made under §1.136(a); authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$_____) per §1.17.

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Independent	1 - 3	= 0	x \$200.00 =	0
Total	10 - 20	= 0	x \$ 50.00 =	0
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SUBTOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE				
Small Entity filing, divide by 2. Small Entity status must be asserted.				0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE				0

[X] No additional fee. The fee has been calculated above; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$_____) for the cost of same.

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